



## **H.Res. 1464– Recognizing and honoring the 50th anniversary of the founding of AARP**

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### FLOOR SITUATION

H.Res. 1464 is being considered on the floor under suspension of the rules and will require a two-thirds majority vote for passage. This legislation was introduced by Representative George Miller (D-CA) on September 18, 2008. The resolution was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor, but was never considered.

H.Res. 1464 is expected to be considered on the floor of the House on September 22, 2008.

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### SUMMARY

H.Res. 1464 resolves that the House of Representatives recognizes and commends AARP for 50 years of outstanding service, promoting the lives and retirement security of older persons age 50 and older, and to future generations for aging Americans.

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### BACKGROUND

The AARP was founded in 1958 by Ethel Percy Andrus. AARP is a nonprofit nonpartisan membership organization which advocates for its over 38 million members. The organization's mission is to involve individuals over the age of 50 in the nation's legislative, judicial, and administrative processes. AARP also sells insurance and other financial products.

AARP's programs include its philanthropic AARP Foundation, the AARP Tax Aide which helps low- and middle-income taxpayers prepare their taxes, and the AARP Driver Safety Program which helps older drivers hone their driving skills. The organization also publishes "AARP The Magazine" which focuses on aging issues.

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